

1 BILL NO. R-92-02-30

2 RESOLUTION NO. R-08-92

3 A RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE  
4 CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA PUBLICLY  
5 RECOGNIZING THE PLIGHT OF HOMELESS YOUTH  
6 IN THE FORT WAYNE, INDIANA AREA AND IT  
7 FURTHER URGES ITS PRIVATE AND CORPORATE  
8 CITIZENS TO ADDRESS THE NEED TO ESTABLISH  
9 YOUTH SHELTERS.

10 WHEREAS, homelessness in America, the richest  
11 country in the world, is shameful and personally abhorrent to  
12 the members of the Fort Wayne Common Council; and

13 WHEREAS, homeless youths are vulnerable and in  
14 particular danger of falling victim to prostitution, drugs and  
15 exploitation; and

16 WHEREAS, it is estimated that 100,000 children are  
17 currently living on the streets of America every evening; and

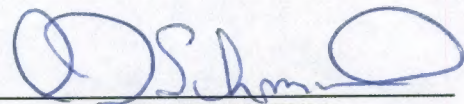
18 WHEREAS, we are currently living in a complex  
19 society where children are physically and emotionally abused,  
20 where incest is perpetrated, and where single parent families  
21 are impoverished and overwhelmed; and

22 WHEREAS, there are currently no emergency housing  
23 facilities in the Fort Wayne area to accommodate homeless teen  
24 youths; and

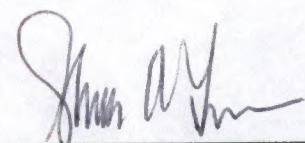
25 WHEREAS, the Fort Wayne Common Council publicly  
26 commends Dr. Michael Sturm; Kenneth Watson, director of  
27 Juvenile Probation; Sister Mary McGeady of Covenant House,  
28 Inc.; and Pathways Inc.; all of whom are working to address  
29 this problem; and

30 WHEREAS, the Fort Wayne Common Council urges its  
31 private and corporate citizens to support the efforts of  
32 Pathways, Inc. by volunteering time and money, and assisting  
the organization in establishing a facility to accommodate  
homeless teen youth.

33 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA THAT IT PUBLICLY DECLARES  
AND RECOGNIZES THE PLIGHT OF HOMELESS YOUTH IN THE FORT WAYNE,  
INDIANA AREA AND IT FURTHER CHALLENGES AND URGES ITS CITIZENS  
TO HELP ADDRESS THE NEED FOR YOUTH SHELTERS IN THIS COMMUNITY.

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35 COUNCILMEMBER

36 APPROVED AS TO FORM  
37 AND LEGALITY.

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39 Stanley A. Levine  
40 Legal Advisor to  
41 Fort Wayne Common Council



Read the first time in full and on motion by \_\_\_\_\_,  
seconded by \_\_\_\_\_, and duly adopted, read the second time by  
title and referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_ (and the  
City Plan Commission for recommendation) and Public Hearing to be held after  
due legal notice, at the Common Council Conference Room 128, City-County  
Building, Fort Wayne, Indiana, on \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_, day  
of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ M., E.S.T.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_

SANDRA E. KENNEDY, CITY CLERK

Read the third time in full and on motion by Schmidt,  
seconded by Long, and duly adopted, placed on its passage.  
PASSED Long by the following vote:

	<u>AYES</u>	<u>NAYS</u>	<u>ABSTAINED</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
<u>TOTAL VOTES</u>	<u>9</u>	_____	_____	_____
<u>BRADBURY</u>	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____
<u>EDMONDS</u>	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____
<u>GIAQUINTA</u>	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____
<u>HENRY</u>	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____
<u>LONG</u>	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____
<u>LUNSEY</u>	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____
<u>RAVINE</u>	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____
<u>SCHMIDT</u>	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____
<u>TALARICO</u>	<u>✓</u>	_____	_____	_____

DATED: 2-25-92 - Sandra E. Kennedy/nc  
SANDRA E. KENNEDY, CITY CLERK

Passed and adopted by the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne,  
Indiana, as (ANNEXATION) (APPROPRIATION) (GENERAL)  
(SPECIAL) (ZONING) ORDINANCE RESOLUTION NO. 2-08-92  
on the 25th day of February, 1992

ATTEST:

(SEAL)

Sandra E. Kennedy/nc  
SANDRA E. KENNEDY, CITY CLERK

Thomas C. Henry/nc  
PRESIDING OFFICER

BILL NO. R-92-02-30

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC RELATIONS

DONALD J. SCHMIDT, CHAIRMAN  
ARCHIE L. LUNSEY, VICE CHAIRMAN  
ALL COUNCILMEMBERS

WE, YOUR COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC RELATIONS TO WHOM  
WAS REFERRED AN (~~ORDINANCE~~) (RESOLUTION) OF THE COMMON COUNCIL

OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA PUBLICLY RECOGNIZING THE  
PLIGHT OF HOMELESS YOUTH IN THE FORT WAYNE, INDIANA AREA AND IT  
FURTHER URGES ITS PRIVATE AND CORPORATE CITIZENS TO ADDRESS THE  
NEED TO ESTABLISH YOUTH SHELTERS

HAVE HAD SAID (~~ORDINANCE~~) (RESOLUTION) UNDER CONSIDERATION  
AND BEG LEAVE TO REPORT BACK TO THE COMMON COUNCIL THAT SAID  
(~~ORDINANCE~~) (RESOLUTION) \_\_\_\_\_

<u>DO PASS</u>	<u>DO NOT PASS</u>	<u>ABSTAIN</u>	<u>NO REC</u>
<u><i>All Council Members</i></u>	_____	_____	_____
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DATED: 2-25-92.

Sandra E. Kennedy  
City Clerk